

Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC. 3, 1902

LOCAL NEWS.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:11 a. m. and sets at 4:42 p. m. High water at 10:18 a. m. and 10:28 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section cloudy tonight; Thursday fair; cold; winds becoming northwesterly and fresh.

Store on King Street Robbed.

About twenty dollars in money was stolen from Mr. C. M. Adams's store, 411 King street, last night. It was an ideal time for a robbery. Rain was falling and the street was probably deserted. The thieves removed the grating from the platform over the basement on the front of the store and descended, working their way through the labyrinth of goods until they reached a stairway in the rear which they ascended to the store proper. There are two money drawers—one on the east and the other on the west side of the store. They rifled both of their contents, as well as a paper cuff box on the west side which was also used as a depository for money. A one-dollar bill was lying under a sock box on the west side of the store with about a quarter of an inch of it protruding. The thieves found that also and carried it off. It is believed the burglars used a light, as it would have been impossible for them to have worked their way through the stacks of goods on both floors without the use of the same. It is evident also that the thieves were well acquainted with the premises as well as with the places in which money was kept. The cuff box, which contained most of the change left in the store, was on a shelf with a number of similar boxes, and its location was supposed to have been known only to the proprietors. The dollar bill which had been placed under the sock box was to have been paid to a man who would have called for it today. As stated above, a small part of it only was visible, and no one was supposed to know its whereabouts but the proprietor who put it there.

B. & O. R. Co. Loses Case.

The suits of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company against Burke & Herbert and the First National Bank, urged on the ground that checks, endorsed by D. P. Hurley, agent of the railroad company in this city, had been paid without proper authority, have been decided, so far as the lower courts are concerned. The suit against the First National Bank of this city to recover \$7,500 was decided in favor of the defendant at the last term of the Circuit Court, and that against Burke & Herbert was also decided in favor of the defendants yesterday evening. The latter case was for \$12,000 and it had occupied the attention of the Circuit Court for this city, Judge Nicol, since Monday afternoon. Shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon it was given to the jury, and after being out ten minutes it returned a verdict against the railroad company. Burke & Herbert were represented by Mr. Eppa Hunton, Jr., of Fauquier county, and Messrs. James R. and Harry B. Caton appeared for the railroad company. It is said that the railroad company will appeal both cases to a higher court.

Memorial Bridge.

The annual report of the District of Columbia Commissioners was sent to Congress yesterday. The Commissioners repeat their statement that they believe the national government should construct a memorial bridge across the Potomac river to the Arlington reservation in accordance with the recommendations heretofore made by the President of the United States. During the meeting of the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic a cornerstone for the memorial bridge was presented by the Stonecutters' Union of the District of Columbia and accepted by the Secretary of War upon the recommendation of the Grand Army of the Republic. At the request of the Secretary of War the Attorney General has placed this stone on the Department of Justice lot, at the corner of Madison place and Pennsylvania avenue.

Fined Ten Dollars.

Peter Foxton, colored, went to Mr. C. O. Pulman's store, corner of Duke and Alfred streets, yesterday, and ordered certain groceries to be sent to a house in "Petersburg." He said he was a fireman on one of the railroads. The goods were sent to the address given, and later Mr. Pulman went to the house, being apprehensive that something was wrong. A young colored woman appeared at the door and denied that any goods had been received in the house. Later Officers Knight and Lyles went to the place, found the groceries and arrested Foxton. This morning the latter was brought before the Mayor when the evidence showed that he did not work for the railroad, but had been employed occasionally about the river front. Foxton said he was drinking when he went to Mr. Pulman's and admitted he had done wrong. The Mayor fined him ten dollars.

The Weather.

The weather was clear and mild during the most part of yesterday, was followed by cloudy conditions and rain late in the evening, and there was an incessant downpour during the remainder of the day and most of the night. Toward morning a fog settled over this section and the blasts of whistles on the river indicated that steamers were feeling their way up and down the stream with caution. These conditions continued throughout the morning. In the afternoon, however, the weather became clear and the temperature mild.

Circuit Court for the City.

[Judge C. E. Nicol presiding.]
Barton vs. Betts; decree confirming sale of certain King street property.
William E. Crupper vs. Southern Railway Company, a suit to recover \$7,500 damages for personal injuries resulting in the loss of an eye alleged to have been received while in the employ of the defendant company in their machine shops in this city; jury and case in progress. The plaintiff is represented by Mr. Edmund Burke and the defendant company by Mr. C. C. Carlin.

The monthly meeting of the Hydraulion Fire Company was held last night at a routine business session, at which a committee was appointed, with Mr. Bontz as chairman, to arrange for the annual banquet on New Year's night.

Personal.

Miss Annie Tyler is visiting her sister, Mrs. Effie Leef, in Lynchburg. Mr. and Mrs. William Bryant have returned from their wedding trip.
Mr. J. R. Caton having concluded some legal business before the Circuit Court, has returned to his post in the legislature in Richmond.
Mr. Robert Officer, of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting his cousin, Mrs. William Shock, on south Fairfax street.
Miss Annie Campbell, is visiting at the home of Mr. Ami Moore, in Clarke.

Sanitary Conference.

The first international sanitary conference of the American republics convened yesterday in the New Willard in Washington when the delegates from the South American republics and from the various cities in the United States were welcomed in addresses by Secretary Shaw. A reception to the visiting delegates will be held to night at the New Willard. Dr. O'Brien, of this city, has been invited to attend the reception and to extend the invitation to a number of his Alexandria friends.

The Holidays.

Christmas is but three weeks off, and many people are already making their holiday purchases. Most of the city merchants appear to be late in making public announcement of their stocks of goods and are losing trade in consequence. It cannot be denied that advertising makes business, and Alexandria merchants should not overlook that fact.

Prefer Advertised Goods.

There is not a retail dealer who does not prefer advertised goods. When a manufacturer or a wholesale dealer does not advertise the retail dealers show little interest in his articles, since they can sell advertised goods so much more readily.—[Philadelphia Record.]

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Henry Allen, colored, a well-known resident of the southern part of the city, is seriously ill at his home on Franklin street, between Pitt and St. Asaph.

A white man, who "had been there before many a time," was before the Mayor this morning charged with the chronic offense of being drunk on the street. He pleaded in extenuation that it was an accident, he had become despondent, &c. He was assessed \$2.50.

Messrs. Roberts & Elliott, proprietors of the oyster house adjoining the New Willard, in which the fire occurred yesterday, say the flames were not caused by an explosion of gasoline, but by an over-heated stove which set fire to the wooden partition.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Thomas Collins, of Chevy Chase, D. C., and Rosanna Tobin, of Fairfax county, and to E. B. Ward, of Washington, and Gertrude M. Spencer, of Frederickburg.

Active operations, it is understood, are soon to be begun by the Washington Railway Company making it possible to use the power at the Great Falls for the production of electricity.

The schooner Irene, which arrived at this port at 10 o'clock yesterday morning from New York, N. C., went in service 50 years ago. She registers but seventeen net tons.

The incessant rainfall and the blackness of darkness without doors last night rendered conditions favorable for reading the President's message.

There will be a comic epiphany at 323 South Pitt street at 8 o'clock tonight for the benefit of the Baptist Sunday school library.

While unloading freight from the Norfolk boat this morning a barrel of castings was dropped overboard.

COUGHS AND COLDS IN CHILDREN
Recommendation of a Well Known Chicago Physician.

I use and prescribe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for almost all obstinate, constricted cough, with direct results. I prescribe it to children of all ages. Am glad to recommend it to all in need and seeking relief from colds and coughs and bronchial affections. It is non-narcotic and safe in the hands of the most unprofessional. A universal panacea for all mankind.—Mrs. Mary R. Melendy, M. D., Chicago, Ill. This remedy is for sale by Richard Gibson, Druggist.

A Cold Wave.
The forecast of sudden changes in the weather serves notice that a hoarse voice and a heavy cough may invade the sanctity of health in your own home. Cautious people have a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure always at hand. E. H. Wise, Madison, Ga., writes: "I am indebted to One Minute Cough Cure for my present good health, and probably my life." It cures Coughs, Colds, Grippe, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and all Throat and Lung troubles. One Minute Cough Cure cuts the phlegm, draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes the mucous membranes and strengthens the lungs. E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

JEWELERS.
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Christmas Gifts.

LADIES' UMBRELLAS.
All Silver Handles, Hand-chased, 5 to 12 inches long. \$10.00 to \$15.00.

Fancy Wood and Horn Handles, Silver Mountings. \$7.00 to \$11.50.

GENTLEMEN'S UMBRELLAS.
Natural Wood and Horn Handles, Plain and with Silver Mountings. \$4.50 to \$12.00.

We use only the best Silk Umbrellas.
Goods Laid Aside, Engraved and Delivered When You Say.

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EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

As surviving executor under the last will and testament of F. E. Corbet, deceased, I offer for sale by public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market House, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock, noon, on

FRIDAY,
the 19th day of December, 1902,
A TRACT OF LAND, situate in Alexandria County, Virginia, of which the late F. E. Corbet died seized and possessed, containing about 158 acres. The W. & O. branch of the Southern Railway runs through the lands, and it is adjacent to Barcroft's Station. The land lies high, is rolling and well watered, and admirably adapted to subdivision into villa-sites. Persons desiring to see the property can call at 1321 F street, N. W., Washington, D. C., on the 18th, 19th, and 20th inst. of December where arrangements will be made to take them to the place. A description of the property will be read at the time and place of sale, and will also be furnished on application to the undersigned.

Terms of Sale: One third cash, and the residue in two equal payments at one and two years. The deferred payments to be evidenced by the negotiable notes of the purchaser, bearing six per cent, interest from the day of the sale until payment, and the title to the property to be retained until the purchase money is paid in full. Conveyance at the cost of the purchaser.

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Surviving Executor of F. E. Corbet,
Arlington, Alexandria Co., Va.

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All Silver Articles engraved free.
Monograms on umbrellas free.
We box everything boxable free.

Novelties in JEWELRY.

We are now showing thousands of imported novelties, in designs that will prove exceedingly attractive for gift-giving. Prices are much lower than you will find elsewhere.

Pretty Brooches, in sterling silver, enamel and jeweled. 25c
Gents' Shell and Ebony Dressing Combs, with sterling silver backs; acceptable to any man. 48c
Ebony Comb and Brush Sets, with sterling silver trimmings; put up in a neat box, complete. 75c
Bohemian Glass Vases, with inlaid sterling silver; various shapes to select from. 98c
Gold Chains for furs or muffs. \$1.25 in link patterns. Special.
Genuine Gun Metal Cigar Cutters, set with turquoise; suitable for man's watch chain. \$1.48
Genuine Gun Metal Cigarette Cases; extra size; finely finished. \$1.98 for

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420 to 426 Seventh Street, WASHINGTON, D. C.

A BOLD ROBBERY.—The bank at Bridge, in Carbon county Mont., was entered by three masked men yesterday and Cashier Trumbo was relieved of \$2,000. Immediately after the robbery the men left on a horseback for the Crow reservation. A pursuing party has been organized. The scene of the robbery is in the vicinity of the famous Hole in the Wall country, for years the hiding place of thieves and desperadoes. The robbery occurred at noon. Cashier Trumbo was at work inside the bank, when he was aware of two men entering the bank. He looked up to see two revolvers pointed directly at his head. A third man, also armed, stood at the door. "Hold up your hands," said one of the two robbers. Mr. Trumbo complied. At this instant Mail Carrier Frank Williams appeared at a side door and was immediately grabbed by two pistols. Williams and Trumbo were ordered to face the wall. While one man covered them with his pistols, the other man ran behind the counter and took all the money in sight. The three men stepped out of the door, mounted their horses, and fled. Every horse in sight was pressed into service and pursuit was begun. A mile and a half out of town the posse began shooting in their seats, returned the fire, and held their pursuer off until they reached the timber. They have not been seen since. It is believed the men will make for the "Hole in the Wall" country.

Monetary and Commercial.
New York, Dec. 3.—The stock market opened strong and active and fractionally higher. After ten minutes the whole market became stronger and moderately active.

WHOLESALE PRICES IN ALEXANDRIA
Flour Extra..... 2 75 to 3 15
Family..... 3 75 to 4 00
Fancy brands..... 4 00 to 4 50
Wheat, longberry..... 0 75 to 0 77
Mixed..... 0 75 to 0 76
Pulitz..... 0 75 to 0 76
Damp and tough..... 0 65 to 0 70
Corn, white..... 0 65 to 0 67
New..... 0 65 to 0 66
Mixed..... 0 65 to 0 66
Yellow..... 0 65 to 0 66
Corn Meal..... 0 68 to 0 70
Rye..... 0 65 to 0 66
Oats, mixed, new..... 0 35 to 0 42
White, new..... 0 35 to 0 42
Elgin Print Butter..... 0 28 to 0 30
Butter, Virginia, packed..... 0 18 to 0 20
Choice Virginia..... 0 25 to 0 26
Common to middling..... 0 14 to 0 18
Eggs..... 0 26 to 0 27
Live Chickens..... 0 09 to 0 10
Spring do..... 0 11 to 0 12
Live Turkeys, lb..... 0 09 to 0 10
Rabbits, per dozen..... 1 50 to 1 80
Quail, per dozen..... 1 50 to 1 80
Pheasants, each..... 0 60 to 0 60
Dressed Hogs, small..... 0 74 to 0 74
" large..... 0 74 to 0 74
Potatoes, Va., bushel..... 0 50 to 0 70
Sweet Potatoes, yams, bbl..... 0 75 to 1 00
Yellow, bbl..... 1 50 to 1 75
Onions, per bushel..... 0 4 to 0 5
Cheerats..... 0 14 to 0 16
Dried Apples..... 0 3 to 0 5
Dried Peaches, peeled..... 0 6 to 0 11
Bacon, country hams..... 0 14 to 0 15
Best sugar-cured hams..... 0 14 to 0 15
Butchers' hams..... 0 14 to 0 15
Breakfast Bacon..... 0 15 to 0 15
Sugar-cured shoulders..... 0 12 to 0 12
Bulk shoulders..... 0 10 to 0 11
Dry Salt sides..... 0 11 to 0 12
Fat backs..... 0 10 to 0 11
Bollies..... 0 12 to 0 12
Smoked shoulders..... 0 13 to 0 14
Smoked sides..... 0 13 to 0 14
Veal Calves..... 0 6 to 0 7
Lamb..... 0 44 to 0 54
Lard..... 0 14 to 0 14
Sausage—Brown..... 3 84 to 3 94
" Off..... 4 15 to 4 25
Coff. standard A..... 4 50 to 4 50
Granulated..... 4 50 to 4 70
Coffee—Rio..... 0 84 to 0 12
LaGuayra..... 0 14 to 0 15
Java..... 0 16 to 0 20
Molasses B. S..... 0 9 to 0 14
C. B..... 0 17 to 0 22
New Orleans..... 0 20 to 0 45
Sugar Straps..... 0 16 to 0 28
Porto Rico..... 0 18 to 0 28
Sail—G. A..... 0 55 to 0 60
Fine..... 0 75 to 1 15
Turk's Island..... 1 00 to 1 00
Wool—luc, unwashed..... 0 24 to 0 28
Washed..... 0 19 to 0 21
Merino, unwashed..... 0 17 to 0 19
Do, washed..... 0 22 to 0 24
Herring, Eastern per bbl..... 4 25 to 4 25
Potomac family roe..... 5 00 to 6 00
Do, half barrel..... 3 00 to 3 50
Potomac Shad..... 9 00 to 10 00
Mackerel, small, per bbl..... 13 00 to 13 50
No. 3 medium..... 16 00 to 17 00
Plaster, ground, per ton..... 4 50 to 5 00
Ground in bags..... 5 00 to 5 50
Lump..... 3 50 to 3 75
Clover Seed..... 6 00 to 6 00
Timothy..... 2 25 to 2 40
Hay..... 14 00 to 16 00
Old process Lined Meal..... 31 00 to 32 00
Cottonseed Meal..... 20 00 to 21 00
Hulls..... 6 50 to 7 00
Ottensmeyer Mixed Feed..... 12 00 to 13 00

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Ladies' and Children's Union Suits.
At 25c, 50c to \$1.00.

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Small lot Wool Underwear in odd sizes, formerly 75c and \$1.00, to close out at 50c.

Men's Heavy Fleece Shirts and Drawers.
Something good at 30c each.

Men's Wool Fleece Shirts and Drawers at 50c each.

Celebrated Wright's Health Underwear at 75c to \$1.00 each.

Celebrated "Victor" All-wool Shirts and Drawers at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each.

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Alexandria Knitting Mills Half Hose at 12c pair. They are worth a trial.

Full line Ladies' and Children's Hose at 10c, 12c to 25c a pair.

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LOST.
LOST—On the street today (Monday) a POCKETBOOK, containing eight ten dollar bills and some small change. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at this office.

WANTED.
WANTED—FIFTY MEN to work in brickyard and to haul brick. Steady employment given to good men. JACKSON-PHILLIPS BRICK CO., Room 710 Bond Building, Washington, D. C. dec 3 ts

BOARDING.
BOARDERS WANTED.—Between ten and twelve BOARDERS can be accommodated at No. 213 south Royal street. All modern conveniences. nov 24 2w

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FOR RENT.—A desirable new dwelling, 9 rooms, closets, &c., at St. Elmo, Alexandria Co. Va. Will be rented on reasonable terms. Apply to J. D. ASHFORD, St. Elmo, or to Room 710 Bond Building, Washington, D. C. dec 3 ts

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All Wool Fancy French Flannels, 50c value, cut to 25c.

All Wool Colored Serges, 39c value, cut to 25c.

All Wool Navy and Black Cheviot, 50c value, cut to 25c.

Silk Stripe French Flannels, 50c value, cut to 30c.

All Wool 6-4 Ladies' Fancy Suiting, 75c value, cut to 40c.

Lot 6-4 Heavy Cloths for skirts, \$1.25 value, lot to 85c.

Lot Heavy Cloths, plaid backs, 40c value, cut to 25c.

All Linen Dinner Napkins, \$1.25 value, cut to 85c.

All Linen Damask Towels, fancy borders, cut to 12c.

Old lot 25c Towels, cut to 15c.

Double Width Wool Homespuns, cut to 15c.

Bleached Table Linens, 58 inches wide, cut to 25c.

Infants' White Wool Flannel, 12c.

All Wool Red Flannel, 16c.

Children's Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs, 1c.

Ladies' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 3c.

Ladies' Fancy, Hemstitched and Lace Handkerchiefs, 5c.

Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 10c.

Ladies' All Linen Embroidered and Lace Handkerchiefs, 12c.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, 12c.

Men's Tape Bordered Handkerchiefs, 3c.

Silk Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 25c.

Black and Gray Seal Fur Collarettes, 98c.

Large Seal Scarfs, 98c and \$1.10.

Large line Mink, Martin and Isabella Fox Fur Scarfs, from \$4.25 to \$12.98.

Beautiful line of Muffs to match Neckpieces, from \$1.25 to \$7.50.

All Wool Red Blankets, \$5 value, for \$3.98.

All-wool White Blankets, \$5 value, for \$3.98.

Large Double White Blanket, 80c.

Large Size Bed Comfort, 60c.

Double Blankets, large size, 40c.

White Crisp Blankets, 30c.

Big values in Lace Curtains, 40c, 60c and 98c pair.

Ruffled Lace Curtains, 80c pair.

Old lot Lace and Embroideries, 35c yard.

Straight Front Corsets, 30c pair.

Ladies' Fleece Hose, 12c pair.

Children's Heavy Mitts, 8c pair.

Old lot White Aprons, 10c.

Lot Ladies' All Wool Flannel Waists, 95c.